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Date:	April 25, 2007
To:	Examiner Juan Valentin, Art Unit 2877, USPTO
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Re:	Form 413 for interview for Application 10/826,794 by Overby et al. entitled Fiber Optic Smoke Detector
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Hi Mr. Valentin, attached please find Form PTOL 413 and a proposed amended claim 1 for
the above-titled patent application. I look forward to meeting you tomorrow. Very Respectfully,
Art.

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/826,794 First Named Applicant: Overby, et al.
Examiner: Valentin Art Unit: 2877 Status of Application:

Tentative Participants:

(1) Arthur K. Samora (2) Tuan Valentin

(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 4/26/07 Proposed Time: 1030 (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) [] Telephonic (2) Personal (3) [] Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [] YES

 NO

If yes, provide brief description:

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1-3</u>	<u>Muggli</u>	[]	[]	[]
(2) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]
(3) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]
(4) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]

[] Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented: Applicant would like to discuss how proposed amendment avoids of claim 1 avoids Muggli, et al.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature_____
Examiner/SPE Signature_____
Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative_____
Registration Number, if applicable

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